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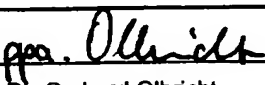

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Stipan KATUSIC, et al.

Application No./Patent No.: 10/572,936

Filed/Issue Date: March 22, 2006

Entitled: ZINC OXIDE POWDER AGGREGATES PRESENT IN CIRCULAR, ELLIPSOIDAL, LINEAR AND
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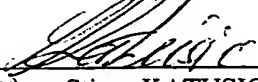
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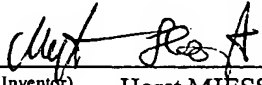
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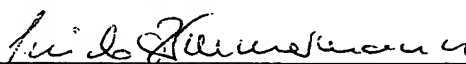
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